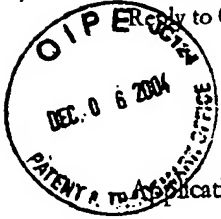


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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Applicants submit this response to the non-final Office Action mailed August 2, 2004. Included herewith is a Request for a Three (3) Month Extension of Time for the above Application to extend the response deadline up to and including December 2, 2004. In view of the following Remarks, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the restriction requirement, and allowance of the claims pending in this application.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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